

SECURE MUSIC MAN FOR COMING YEAR

CHAS. R. GARDNER WILL HAVE
CHARGE OF CONSERVATORY

ONE OF COUNTRY'S BEST

Has Studied Music Under Famous
Men—Was Three Years at
Warrensburg.

Charles R. Gardner has been engaged as an instructor at the State Teachers College for the coming year. He will be in charge of the Conservatory of Music and will teach public school music.

Mr. Gardner is a graduate of the Institute of Normal Methods of Chicago and was a student in voice under Douglass Powell in New York City and L. Drew Mosher in Cincinnati. He also studied piano under George Kruger, Belgian court pianist.

Three years ago he was engaged to teach in the Warrensburg State Teachers College at Warrensburg. When he went to that institution the music department had a teaching force of three and fifty pupils. When he left last year the instructors numbered eight and there were 400 pupils. He left Warrensburg with the good will of both faculty and students.

Mr. Gardner is ranked as one of the leading public school music teachers of the country.

In speaking of him this morning, President Lamkin of the State Teachers College said, "I propose to let him have almost a free hand to develop music here. He will want to have a municipal chorus and he will be willing to assist the Chamber of Commerce and other organizations. "Play him up all that you want to. He'll make good."

W. W. Stanfield, instructor in agriculture at the State Teachers College, who arrived in his car from Denison, Iowa, Sunday with his family, is on the job at the college today. He is looking over the work and making plans for the school year. Mr. Stanfield has three children, two boys and one girl. Mr. and Mrs. Stanfield and family will make their home this year in the Trueblood home on East Seventh Street.

MAYOR FINES TWO FOR EXCEEDING SPEED LIMIT

Lon Heflin, St. Joseph and C. W. Rose
Draw \$5 Penalties—Both on
Main Street.

Lon Heflin of St. Joseph was fined late last night by Mayor F. P. Robinson for speeding. He was arrested on Main street by Night Policeman Ed Wallace. His fine was assessed at \$5 and costs.

C. W. Rose was fined \$5 and costs in a police court session held yesterday morning. He was arrested by Mayor Robinson on North Main street the night before on a charge of speeding.

ANOTHER ARREST MADE
IN \$50,000,000 SWINDLE
Canton, Aug. 27.—Z. W. Davis, one of the central figures in the fifty million dollar swindle ring for which Chicago was headquarters was taken into custody by deputy marshals Connors of Cleveland.

Mildred Williams, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Williams, living near Maryville, who took treatment at St. Francis Hospital for several weeks for an injured foot, has been taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Banner Brummett on East Sixth Street.

Electric Theatre

TONIGHT ONLY
CONWAY TEARLE in
"BUCKING THE TIGER"
A Lewis J. Selznick production.
Also Hoot Gibson in a two reel comedy. Night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 29 and 30:
BEBE DANIELS steps out in society in borrowed finery in her latest feature, "TWO WEEKS WITH PAY." Also International News Monday, a comedy Tuesday. Matinee at 3:00—11c and 22c; night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

WATER USERS MUST HAVE METERS, SAYS ROBINSON

City Ordinance Passed Last Night Says
Flat Rate Is Unfair to Users
With Meters.

Mayor F. P. Robinson is notifying all water patrons who have been paying a flat rate that after September 15 no water will be furnished them unless a meter has been installed.

An ordinance passed last year requires that all water patrons shall install a proper place for a meter with a stop and waste cock back of the meter. The city then furnishes and keeps the meter in repair without cost to the consumer.

A flat rate is unfair to water users who are using meters, according to the mayor, as there is no means of checking on the water actually used. There were 200 patrons on a flat rate basis at the beginning of the Robinson administration, but only about seventy are left now. These must all install meters before September 15.

The ordinance provides that inspection of the meters shall be made easy. The cut off is provided so that the meter may be taken out easily. If the meter is placed outside the house, it must be protected from freezing.

HOT TODAY, BUT THINK ABOUT WINTER AND SHIVER

Expert Says Hot Summer Will Be
Followed by Severe Cold—
99 Yesterday.

It was 95 this afternoon at 1 o'clock, according to Weather Observer J. R. Brink. The forecast is for partly cloudy and unsettled weather tonight and Sunday, with about the same temperature.

Yesterday the temperature went up to 99 degrees, it being one of the hottest days of the summer. A good shower fell last night in Clarinda and Braddyville, Ia., but no rain was had in Maryville and this community.

With the weather so hot, it might be interesting to read the following dispatch from New York today:

The next winter will be a cold one is the indication of weather data compiled by Dr. C. F. Brooks, formerly meteorologist of the federal weather bureau and now associate professor of meteorology and climatology at the Clark university.

An analysis of the weather records of over a century that we are experiencing a series of alternations of severe and warm winters. Last fall, on the basis of his investigations, Dr. Brooks said that last winter would be warm. It was. And now he says that it is not unreasonable to expect that next winter will be a cold one and that the winter of 1922-23 will be a warm one.

CAR RUNS INTO DITCH THIS MORNING NEAR RIVER BRIDGE

Steering Gear Comes Loose and Accident Occurs Before Car Could Be Stopped

At 11:30 o'clock this morning one of the cars belonging to the Hermann Auto Company ran into the ditch on the side of the road just this side of the river bridge, east of Maryville. The radiator rod and a spring were broken and the front axle was bent.

The car was driven by Harry Jones. He and Walter Kegin had driven down to the bridge and were returning when the accident occurred. The steering rod did not have a cotter key and the nut came off, making it impossible to guide the machine. Before it could be stopped the car ran off into the ditch.

No one was hurt.

HICKMAN CASE TO JURY

AT 9:15 THIS MORNING.

The case of Arthur and Ben Hickman, charged with the killing of Bert Patton, Page county deputy sheriff, who was killed at Bingham on the evening of February 12, while heading a posse in search of the Hickmans, who a few hours previously had helped up and robbed a dozen Shenandoah craps shooters of \$400, went to the jury at 9:15 o'clock this morning, at Atlantic, Ia. At present time this afternoon the jury was still out.

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compared with total darkness. A small insurance will illuminate a large gloom. Insure up to your limit and enjoy freedom from worry.

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Nodaway Bank Bldg.

PHONE AND LIGHT RATES UNCHANGED

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
CONTINUES INCREASES.

RULING IS TEMPORARY

Electric Service Charges Shall Be Reduced March 1, 1922, and Telephone Rates Sept. 1, 1922.

Rates charged for electric service by the Maryville Light and Power Company will remain unchanged until March 1, 1922. At that time the rates shall be reduced to the rates and charges which were in effect on July 31, 1920.

This ruling has been handed down by the Missouri State Public Service Commission in a supplemental order just received here. It affects Maryville, Burlington Junction, Pickering, Ravenwood, Clyde, Conception Junction, Barnard and Clearmont. The commissioners who heard the case were Edwin J. Bean, Noah W. Simpson and Edward Flad.

An order of the commission issued on July 23, 1920, authorized certain increased rates for electric service to be put into effect by the Maryville Electric Light and Power Company at Maryville and the other places named. The order was for a period of thirteen months only, from August 1, 1920 to and including September 1, 1921.

In its supplemental order, the commission says:

"It now appearing that the Maryville Electric Light and Power Company has submitted its statement of operating revenues and expenses for the twelve months period, ending July 31, 1921, showing that the company has not made an excessive return on the value of its property, it is, therefore, after due deliberation,

"Ordered: 1. That the Maryville Electric Light and Power Company continue in effect as its maximum rates and charges for electric light and power service at Maryville and the outlying towns and communities served by said company as set out above, the rates and charges as authorized and set out in the commissioner's order herein on July 23, 1920.

"Ordered: 2. That any and all increases of rates and charges herein authorized or permitted which are increases over the rates and charges which the Maryville Electric Light and Power Company had in force and effect on July 31, 1920, shall remain in effect until March 1, 1922, on which date such increased rates and charges shall, without further order, cease, and the rates and charges of the said Maryville Electric Light and Power Company shall be reduced to the rates and charges which were in effect in Maryville and the outlying towns and communities served by said company on July 31, 1920.

The company is required to keep a full and accurate account of the revenues and expenses of its plant, which it must file with the public service commission.

The present rates, with the increases allowed last year by the Public Service Commission, are as follows:

Business.

For first twenty K. W. H. or less consumed in any month, per K. W. H., 15 cents.

For next twenty K. W. H. consumed in any month, 13 cents.

For all over 40 K. W. H. consumed in any month, 7 cents.

Minimum charge, 75 cents per month.

Residence.

For first twenty K. W. H. or less consumed in any month, per K. W. H., 15 cents.

For next twenty K. W. H. consumed in any month, 14 cents.

For all over 40 K. W. H. consumed in any month, 7 cents. Minimum charge 75 cents per month.

Old Rates.

The old rates, to which the company must return next March, unless otherwise ordered by the commission are as follows, for both business and residence metered lights:

For first five K. W. H. or less consumed in any month, per K. W. H., 15 cents.

For next twenty K. W. H. consumed in any month, 13 cents.

For all over twenty-five K. W. H. consumed in any month, 7 cents.

Minimum charge, 75 cents per month.

The commission also recently handed down an order permitting the Hanamo Telephone Company to continue for a further period of thirteen months the increased rates allowed in its order of June 26, 1920. The case was heard

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COUSIN OF MARYVILLE MAN MEETS HIS DEATH ON ZR-2

George Welch of Elgin, Ill. Was A
Machinist on Ill Fated
Dirigible.

One of the Americans who met death Wednesday in the collapse of the great dirigible ZR-2 over the city of Hull, England, was George Welch of Elgin, Ill., a cousin of C. S. Ellis, an employee of the Electric Light and Power company of this city. Welch was a machinist on the ill-fated dirigible.

Welch was in the naval aviation service during the war. He was sent over to England with the other Americans to bring home the dirigible after a trial flight had been made.

ALLEGES NON-SUPPORT IN PETITION FOR DIVORCE

Pearl Kiphart Asks Freedom and
Custody of Children—Suit Against
Caldwells Dismissed

Pearl Kiphart filed suit for a divorce in the circuit clerk's office this morning. In her petition she alleges her husband failed to provide for her and ordered her from their home. The petition states they were married in the state of Washington in October, 1906, and lived together until August 1921. The plaintiff asks for the care and custody of four minor children, the oldest being 10 years and the youngest 3 years old.

Another suit filed was by Goldie Lee Good and A. F. Harvey against William Good Elizabeth A. Dillon and Leslie Dawson. It is an ejectment suit and a perfect title suit.

The suit of Archie A. Armstrong & Son against C. D. and E. F. Caldwell for \$1,050 was dismissed today.

Other suits filed were: Hiram W. Montgomery vs. Willis Reese, note.

Farmers Bank of Skidmore vs. Willis Reese, note.

Manchester & Dodds vs. Willis Reese and Charley Reese, administrator of the estate of Charlotte Reese, dec'd.

Manchester & Dodds vs. Willis Reese, et al.

Manchester & Dodds vs. Willis Reese, account.

DRUG THIEF OPERATING OUTSIDE OF MARYVILLE

Dr. L. E. Wallace of Burlington Junction Loses Cocaine and Morphine.

The activities of the supposed drug addict who has stolen cocaine and morphine from Maryville doctors have not been limited to Maryville. It became known today, when Dr. L. E. Wallace of Burlington Junction reported the loss of ten grains of cocaine and eighteen tablets of morphine. The tablets each contained one-fourth grain of the drug.

Dr. K. C. Cummins also reported today the loss of sixty or seventy quarter-grain tablets of morphine. The drug was kept in a desk drawer in his office. Dr. Cummins missed it last week but did not make his loss public until quantities of the narcotics were reported stolen from the offices of Dr. H. S. Dowell and Dr. R. C. Peterson.

Dr. Wallace at Burlington Junction made a check of his medicines when he read the accounts of the thefts here. The drugs he found were missing he thinks must have been stolen Monday while he was at supper. When he left the office that evening he left a package of cigarettes on the top of his instrument case. They were gone when he returned. The cocaine was kept in a drawer in the instrument stand and the morphine in a hypodermic case in his satchel.

WILLIAM BIGGS, 60 YEARS OLD, DIES AT CLEARMONT

Funeral Services to be Conducted at
10 o'clock Tomorrow Morning
by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass

William Biggs, 60 years old, a resident in and near Clearmont for thirty years, died at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home in Clearmont after a week's illness. Mr. Biggs was born Dec. 4 1860, and for a number of years was a farmer near Clearmont. He was unmarried and is survived by a sister, Mrs. George Clary of Clearmont, and a brother, Dr. D. H. Biggs of Denver, Colo.

Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Christian Church in Clearmont and will be conducted by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass of the Maryville Christian Church. Burial will be in the Clearmont cemetery.

Harold Golding of Wilcox was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

SCOUT MOVEMENT IS BACK TO LIFE

HOLD "CURESTONE" MEETING
WITH SCOUTMASTER CUMMINS.

10 BOYS PAY ALL DUES

Plan Activities for Fall to Include
Overnight Hikes—Try to
Get Rooms.

The Boy Scout movement in Maryville is not dead. It appeared dead a few days ago, but it came to life last night when several enthusiastic boys held a "curestone" meeting with Scoutmaster Frank Cummins in front of the Maryville Free Public Library. Ten boys paid all their back dues and their fee of 50 cents for registration, and others pledged themselves to stick with the organization.

Enough boys can be secured for one active troop, says Scoutmaster Cummins, and it is probable that Troop 2 will be allowed to die and its members taken into Troop 1. The full membership of a troop is thirty-six boys.

The boys who re-registered last night were Kieran Cummins, Paul Diss, Forrest Martin, Isaac Miller, Ralph Hotchkin, Joseph Jackson, Jr., Herbert Hudson, Jack Gray, Raymond Cohn and Buster Strong. Other former members of the troop will renew their pledges this week and if M. A. Peery, former scoutmaster of Troop 2, is unable to recruit his section to full strength, the boys who want to continue as Scouts will be transferred to Troop 1.

Assisting Scoutmaster Cummins in Troop 1 are Jesse Miller, Jr., and Ray Hull. They plan to start a series of fall activities within the next two weeks. These will include short and long hikes, some of them of the overnight variety.

An attempt will be made to secure rooms in which the Scouts may meet during the winter. It was the lack of a meeting place last winter that caused the interest to fall so perilously low, according to the boys.

The announcement a few days ago that no Scout organization could be maintained here caused consternation among most of the boys and some of the parents.

"It is absolutely necessary that the boys have cooperation from the parents to keep them attending meeting and interested in the work," said Mr. Cummins. "They can't do anything worth while unless the parents stand with them. They would be surprised at the progress the boys have made whose parents have encouraged them."

"Personally it makes no difference to me, but as long as the boys are interested and are really enthusiastic about it, it seems a shame not to go on with it."

To become a Scout a boy must be at least twelve years of age and must pass a test in the following:

1. Know the Scout law, sign, salute and significance of the badge.
2. Know the composition and history of the national flag and the customary forms of respect due to it.
3. Tie the following knots: square or reef sheetbend, bowline, fisherman's, sheep-shank, slip, clove hitch, timber hitch, or two half hitches.

He then takes the Scout oath, is enrolled as a tenderfoot and is entitled to wear the tenderfoot badge.

A boy does not stand still in Scouting, as the opportunity and incentive for progress is always at hand. First a Tenderfoot, then he becomes a Second Class Scout, and then a First Class Scout. After this the whole sphere of the Scout program is made available by the boy's own application in qualifying himself to pass tests for the fifty-eight Merit Badges.

When he becomes a Scout, each boy takes the following oath:

"On my honor I will do my best:
"To do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout law;
"To help other people at all times;
"To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight."

Maitland Fair a Success.

The Maitland fair this year has been very much of a success and it was announced yesterday that the largest crowd in the history of their fair association was in attendance.

Examination September 28.

A civil service examination will be held at the post office for the position of stationary fireman at that building on September 28. The position pays \$660 a year. All persons wishing to take this examination should secure blanks and file their application with Eldon W. Irvin at the post office.

COUNTY COURT CREATES SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICT

Roy Lyle, Guy Plummer and Eugene V. Humphrey are Appointed
Commissioners.

The county court, in session yesterday afternoon, granted a petition for a special road district in Lincoln township. This road district will be known as the Dawson Special Road District and will include the territory in the east and south part of the township. The commissioners appointed to have charge of the district are Roy Lyle, Guy Plummer and Eugene V. Humphrey.

MINE SITUATION IS LESS TENSE BUT STILL CRITICAL

One Report Says Miners Still Fighting
While Another Declares Army
Is Disbanding.

Washington, Aug. 27.—President Harding was advised today that the situation in West Virginia was less tense, although still critical. General Bandholtz, the President's representative in West Virginia, sent a long telegraphic report in which he expressed hope that the situation would quiet down. He did not recommend the sending of troops.

Williamson, Aug. 27.—A fight in Logan county is in progress early today according to reports received here despite denials from there. Sheriff Chafin wired military headquarters here that a detachment of 1,200 miners who entered Logan county near Sharless late yesterday had seized a special train furnished to transport them back after they had agreed to disband. They ran the train to the terminal of the Coal River branch and marched through the village of Blair, soon coming in contact with the Blair County officials. There was fighting throughout the night, the sheriff said, and the invaders were repulsed. Chafin said he couldn't estimate the casualties because of the fighting in the darkness.

Logan, Aug. 27.—The sheriff's office reported everything was quiet along the Logan-Boone border at ten o'clock today. Two special deputies were reported killed in last night's fighting, but the sheriff denied this.

Logan, Aug. 27.—The army of miners is quietly disbanding here today in compliance with the ultimatum issued yesterday by General Bandholtz, who advised the leaders that federal troops would forcibly stop the march into this county from Madison county if the miners attempted to continue.

OLD CITY HALL BUILDING IS BEING PATCHED UP AGAIN

The old city hall, now used as a fire station, is being patched up again.

Almost fifteen years ago, when Mayor F. P. Robinson was head of city affairs for the first time, he reported to his city council that the city hall was a tottering wreck. They disagreed his warning.

A. S. Robey succeeded Mr. Robinson as mayor. He told his council that the old city hall was about to fall down—would fall down with the first strong breeze unless something were done. They took off the upper story, relieving the weight on the lower walls, and patched the building here and there.

Since then, the structure has been periodically patched. Recently the south wall leaned so much that props were inserted between the fire station and the Armstrong foundry. When the props threatened to shove the other building over, Mayor Robinson ordered some of the loose brick taken out of the wall and new ones put in. The window on the south is also being enlarged, and some work done on the east side, which is very unstable.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Young of Bedison and Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Castee of the Harmony neighborhood have gone to Des Moines, Ia., to attend the Iowa State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Lasley and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fine of Hopkins motored to Maryville for the day.

WANT FARM PICNIC AN ANNUAL AFFAIR

WHOLE FAMILIES ENJOYED TWO
DAY PROGRAM

HEAR MARKETING PLAN

Donnell Says U. S. Grain Growers
Will Pay Farmers More, Sell To
Consumers for Less.

Farmers and their families who attended the two day picnic held Thursday and Friday at College Park were so well pleased with the program that they voted yesterday to make the picnic an annual affair. The gathering was under the auspices of the Nodaway County Farm Bureau, the Farm Clubs and the Farmers' Union.

The crowd yesterday was estimated by R. A. Kinnaird, county farm agent, as about 2,000. Many women attended the lectures and demonstrations given by Miss Kathryn Roderick of the agricultural extension service of the University of Missouri.

Judge P. E. Donnell, a director of the United States Grain Growers, Inc., enlisted many supporters by his explanation of the national marketing organization formed to cut out the speculator's profits.

In his address on the grain marketing plans of the United States Grain Growers, Inc., Judge Donnell insisted that the proposition is not an experiment, but is merely following the lines which the United Grain Growers of Canada have found so successful. It is a piece of marketing machinery, without any capital stock to be operated without profit, for the purpose of selling the farmers' grain and returning to them the full market value less handling charges. It will operate where possible through farmers' co-operative elevators, of which there are nearly five thousand in the country and through local association of grain growers. The cost of membership is an initiation fee of \$10, without further dues.

Subsidiaries Planned
The plans call for three subsidiary corporations, one for financing grain growers, one for warehousing and one for exporting.

It is said that the finance corporation with its \$100,000,000 of preferred stock, will be the largest financial institution in the United States next to the United States Steel corporation. Its chief function will be to issue its own obligations against warehouse receipts for grain, which can then be placed with banks or private investors by the farmers, or any member co-operative elevator company can secure from the finance corporation cash for the full loan value of grain stored or pooled with it. The warehouse corporation will provide terminal storage facilities for grain by the purchase of erection of warehouses at the great grain marketing centers.

The export corporation will seek to increase America's foreign trade by setting up agencies in every corner of the world to expand and handle the grain export trade. Officers point out that the United Grain Growers of Canada exported wheat at from 3 to 5 cents a bushel less than private exporters charged, and it is believed that American farmers can do so well.

Will Manage Wheat Crop.
Sponsors of the United States Grain Growers Inc., hope that the organization will be sufficiently perfected to handle the 1922 crop. They point out that even if only half the existing farmers' co-operative elevators were to join the movement the organization would handle more grain than is now handled at the world's (Continued on page 4)

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and somewhat unsettled tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

HOPE HAMPTON

The Texas beauty is featured in Maurice Tourneur's production.

"THE BAIT"

Also Mack Sennett comedy.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

TOWN AND RURAL SCHOOLS WILL OPEN SEPTEMBER 5

Maryville Schools are Exception, Opening Being Delayed Until September 12.

Practically all public schools in Nodaway County will open on September 5, a week from Monday. The Maryville schools, however, will not open until September 12, in order to allow time for completing the new addition to the High School building. The fall term of the State Teachers College opens September 13.

Barnard expects the best school in the history of the community. The physical equipment of the schools has been added to and the appearance of the building has been helped by a coat of paint. A new course, physics, has been added to take the place of Latin in the high school. The course in Latin will be dropped at the end of this year.

The personnel of the Barnard teaching force is Ed Adams, superintendent, A. S. Blagg, principal of High School, Miss Julia Lowry, assistant in High School, Mrs. Verdie Daniels, Grammar, Miss Lois Goodpasture, Intermediate, and Miss Velma Adams, Primary departments.

Hopkins has the following staff of teachers for the term beginning September 5: Superintendent George H. Somerville; principal, William Uter, English and Latin, Miss Veturia Paulson, Grant City; mathematics and sewing, Mrs. A. J. Caulfield, Maryville; in the grades, J. J. Rode, Hermon; Mrs. Fay Whitney, Hopkins; Miss Lena Copeland, King City; Mrs. Ben Kelley and Mrs. Keith Killam, Hopkins.

Prof. J. W. Pierce is superintendent of the Skidmore Consolidated School District. The Skidmore school is a standard first-class school with a faculty in the high school composed entirely of college graduates. The school opens September 5.

With the installation of a modern water system completed, St. Benedict's High School, the parish high school of Clyde, is keeping pace with the best consolidated school buildings in the county. The term opens September 5.

Miss Hulet to Oklahoma City.
Miss Dale Hulet, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hulet, will leave tomorrow morning for Oklahoma City, Okla., where she will resume teaching in Hill's Business College. Her sister, Miss Arlie Hulet, who has also been a guest at the home of her parents, will leave next Saturday for Oklahoma City to teach in the city schools.

Drove to Clarinda Fair.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Proctor, Frank Ulmer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glines, Ernest Ingels and family, Misses Edna and Laura Klines, Maude Blanchard and Mary McCurry, and Harry and Albert Glines and Sherm Scott motored to the Clarinda fair Thursday.

John and Hubert Garrett of Clearmont were in Maryville today.

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News From Over The County

Elmo Register.

Harlan McGinty, son of Mrs. Eva L. McGinty, was badly burned about the hands, face and feet Friday of last week. He lighted a match in the basement of the home where a half gallon of gasoline had been spilled. The resulting explosion rocked the house on its foundation and came near resulting in a catastrophe. Harlan is getting along as well as could be expected, and will, no doubt, be all right in a few days.

Earl Hoppers returned home from their outing Friday evening, August 19. They were in Kansas and Colorado visiting relatives, and were away two or three weeks.

Dr. Neely is reported to be a little better this, Monday morning. He has been seriously ill, caused probably by the recent automobile accident, when he was hurt in a collision at the Henry Joy corner, one and a half miles southeast of town. J. S. Bradley went to Maryville Saturday. He said he expected to return to his home at Glen Rio, New Mexico in about two weeks. His brother Gabe, who is a farmer near Parnell will move to Maryville in September and live with their mother, Mrs. Juda. Another brother, Jesse, lives in south Missouri. The brothers lived in this locality several years ago.

B. C. Halla does not seem to improve in health as much as one could wish, and so has decided to leave the farm. He will likely either buy a home somewhere, or go to some health resort for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Shoptaugh returned Tuesday afternoon from their vacation of nearly three weeks. They stayed at Excelsior Springs, awhile, and then drove over into Kansas and visited relatives a few days.

Rev. C. F. Jenkins and family slipped away the fore part of last week and started to Grand Rapids, Mich., on their vacation. They expected to be gone two or three weeks, and went in their motor car.

Dick Bailey's and Mrs. Mamie Clary and children and Miss Nettie Beaver returned Saturday evening from their trip to Scotts Bluff, Nebr. and other points.

Hopkins Journal.

Ray Hanna, a former Hopkins boy, a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hanna, was recently married to Miss Aelsah Ford of Siloam Springs, Ark., and the couple arrived in Hopkins in their car this week for a short visit with relatives in this vicinity.

While going to Siam the other evening, Pen Spencer run down and killed a jack rabbit, a real genuine jack rabbit as large as a young lamb. The rabbit was sitting on the bridge that spans the old channel of the 102 river near the Sam Gans farm and the lights of the car seemed to blind or paralyze it, the rabbit making no effort to get away, remaining like the boy on the burning deck to take its medicine.

The bursting of a water main in front of the Nail restaurant Wednesday necessitated several hours work on the part of the waterworks department.

Everett Orme sends a telegram from the mountains of Colorado where he has been hunting deer, that he will arrive in Hopkins this week. He is coming in a car but is shipping the venison and wants all the trucks he can secure to haul the "deer meat" from the depot when it reaches here.

A fire that might easily have caused great damage, was discovered early Tuesday morning by Night Watchman Whitten at the rear of the Fred Gray grocery store, where he found flames emanating from the roof of the salt and oil shed, but the fire had not reached such proportions as to make it hard to put out. There were some sacks on the roof and it is thought the fire started by some one in Masonic hall tossing a cigar stub down on the roof, a meeting being held the night of the fire at the lodge rooms.

C. E. Caudle, accompanied by his sister and mother, was returning last Friday from a visit in Iowa and when between here and Bedford the last spare casing of their Ford car went down—a front casing, and as a storm was approaching, Mr. Caudle decided to try to make it home on the rim, but when the first soft spot in the road was reached the casingless wheel caused the Ford the play "ring around a rosy," finally upsetting. Dr. Maxwell reports Mr. Caudle received two broken ribs and badly bruised, while his mother, a lady 87 years of age, also suffered two broken ribs. The sister escaped without any broken bones but was pretty badly bruised up and it will be some time before any of them can get around as lively as they did before the accident.

Mell Shelley had an automobile accident Sunday, killing the engine of his Overland car on a steep hill near the Elmer Beauchamp residence. The hill starts from a bridge and when about half way up it, Mell undertook to shift gears and either failed in the attempt or killed his engine—anyway, the

brakes would not hold and the car started backwards and rather than risk missing the bridge below, Mell decided to run the car crossways with the road, the result being it got too far on the bank, causing it to upset. In the car, besides the driver, were Henry Roush, wife and son and Mrs. Shelley, and all escaped injury except Mrs. Shelley, whose wrist was sprained. The car was not badly damaged, the windshield and the top suffering most.

Burlington Junction Post.

A coal shaft is being sunk on the Lee Hankins farm east of Quitman, and it is expected that coal from the new mine will be ready for the market this fall. It is said that the vein is from 14 to 22 inches in thickness, and of good quality. It will be necessary to sink the shaft about 70 feet.

Richard Sewell, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Sewell, is nursing a sore hand this week as the result of a misunderstanding with a monkey with the carnival company which was in Burlington Junction last week. Richard got his hand too close to the monkey's cage Saturday morning, and the little animal promptly grabbed the member and sank his teeth in a finger. He held on stubbornly until an attendant came to the rescue. The injury was promptly dressed and is healing, but Richard has decided that he does not want any monkey pets.

R. E. Tobin has been selected as manager of the shipping association here, succeeding S. A. Jones, who resigned following the notice of his appointment as temporary postmaster. Mr. Tobin took his first shipment of stock to St. Joseph Tuesday.

Miss Lois Johnson of Fayette arrived here Sunday for a visit at the home of her niece, Mrs. L. C. Severs. Other guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Severs this week are Mrs. W. T. Gray and Mrs. J. C. Johnson and daughter of Maryville, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Severs of Bedford, Ia.

Mrs. Mary Peters narrowly escaped injury Saturday when she momentarily lost control of her Ford car, running into the telephone pole at the corner by the Aesdale store. Mrs. Peters was not injured at all, but the car was damaged considerably.

J. R. Plummer is having considerable trouble this week with a sore foot which resulted from running a hedge thorn into it. The foot was injured several days ago, but did not give any trouble until a slight infection set in. John Callaway is nursing a broken arm this week as the result of being kicked by a Ford car. John had driven to Quitman Saturday, and on getting ready to return home the accident occurred. Both bones in his right arm were broken just above the wrist.

Roy Plummer, a member of the Lorraine baseball team, which played the Moonshiner team from east of town on the local diamond Saturday, received a broken leg in the early part of the game. Plummer was playing third base and was struck by Robert Tobin, who was sliding into the base. Both bones were broken just above the ankle and the injury has been causing Mr. Plummer a great deal of pain. He is at the home of his father, J. R. Plummer, and is reported as getting along nicely.

Ravenwood Gazette.

F. H. Burns received a card last Friday from Mrs. I. A. Barton, stating they had arrived at Durango, Colo., and went directly to the hospital where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Corby Addy. They found her condition unimproved and fear that a second operation will be necessary. This is sad news to her friends, but we trust she may soon be on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Leary received a letter Monday from their daughter, Miss Letha, written from Lake Louise, Canada. The young lady sailed Aug. 18, for Soochow, China.

Misses Ethel and Louise Woodburn of Pittsburg, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Woodburn.

Mrs. Belle Hawk has been quite sick the past few days.

Fred McKee returned Friday from Glen Elder, Kan., where he has been for some time assisting in the harvest fields.

Mrs. Alverda David returned last Thursday from a visit of several weeks with her daughter and family at Upton, Wyoming.

W. R. Gover returned Thursday from several weeks' visit at Colorado Springs, Denver, Estes Park and Yellowstone Park. He was accompanied by his parents, sister and brother and wife and baby on his western trip. "Dick" says he drove two days in the mud, in order to arrive here in time for the picnic.

Skidmore News.

Harold Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, who live on the George Stevenson farm northwest of town, fell off a box Saturday evening and broke both bones in his right forearm.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Loucks and grandson, Stoy Williams, went to Mound City yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mr. Loucks' brother, who died Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carter, who have been visiting their daughters, Mrs. E. C. Botkin and Mrs. C. G. McConnell,

for the past two months, returned this week to their home in Lodge Pole, Nebr.

Mrs. J. F. Brown, daughters, Blanch and Gladys and son, Ernest, returned Monday from a week's visit at Wray, Colorado.

Barnard Bulletin.

Miss Grace Carmen of Burlington Kansas, is visiting relatives and friends in Barnard and Bolckow this week. Miss Carmen taught in the Kansas schools last year and this summer has been connected with the organization of Parent-Teachers associations. She has a very attractive proposition offered her for the winter but has already contracted for a school near Burlington and will not go back on her word. Miss Carmen will return home within a few days.

George Gunn and Miss Lulu McPherson of Eugene, Ore., arrived in Barnard Saturday for a visit of a month or more with his daughter, Mrs. Austin Haselwood, and other relatives. Gunn has been in Oregon for the past two years and reports that the crops are somewhat short on account of dry weather, but the fruit is plentiful. Mr. Gunn and Miss McPherson will visit relatives in Iowa, leaving for there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Badger have been married forty-five years Wednesday. Mr. Badger in commenting on this fact said that it perhaps seemed longer to his wife than it did to him. There have been many, many changes since he was married.

Like the proverbial cat, Mr. and Mrs. McK Moore have come back. They sold their property in Eldorado Springs and are in Barnard today looking for a location. They plan to store their goods until they find a suitable place and then purchase it. Again it is true that when they live in Barnard once, they always like the place and come back.

Joyce Elaine Snoderly, 18 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Snoderly died at Haviland, Kansas, and the body was sent here.

Mildred Louise Rasco was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rasco August 10. Mrs. Rasco was formerly Miss Mary Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Drydale and daughter, Miss Anna, left Wednesday for Colorado Springs, Colo., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Thrasher. They expect to be gone about ten days.

Revival meetings will begin at Bethany September 5 and will continue for two weeks. The pastor, Rev. S. D. Harlan of Graham will do the preaching. The Ladies Aid have secured a song leader.

Parnell Sentinel.

Mrs. B. A. Jones is home again after a trip to Kansas City, where she underwent an operation in a hospital about three weeks ago. We are glad to report she is improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Day and daughter, Miss Marie, returned Sunday from an auto trip in the West.

The Sheridan Lumber Co. came near being consumed in flames Monday morning of this week. A fire in a bunk car used by the Great Western people at that place caught fire in some manner and the flames spread to the coal sheds of the lumber yard before the car could be moved. The car was burned and the coal shed was badly damaged.

Dr. Crowson reports a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dukes Saturday; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Danner Tuesday and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Birkenholz Tuesday.

W. H. Whitte is now the owner of the Moore barber shop, having purchased same last Friday. Mr. Whitte has sold his shop at King City and will now make this his future home.

Gulfport Times.

The Boy Scouts of Gulfport with Dewain McCoppin Scoutmaster, and about seventeen scouts will start next Monday morning on a long hike that will consume about a week. They will camp at various points along the route.

The M. W. A. Camp of Gulfport have put on a contest for new members with J. J. Gatto and W. H. Miller as captains. The winning side and their families are to be given an oyster supper by the losing side.

Christian Goldbeck lately from Denmark is visiting at Andrew Nelson's this week. He is a cousin to Andrew and Dick Nelson.

Elden Hildebrand returned last Thursday from Rich Hill, Mo., where he was looking after his farm and visiting Quintin Wilson and family. Mrs. J. A. McLean went to Savannah Monday. From there she will go to St. Joseph with her son-Whiteford who will have his tonsils removed.

Mrs. L. T. Skidmore and daughter Ellen Jane returned last Thursday to their home at St. Louis after spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Skidmore.

Conception Courier.

At a meeting held at the Pastime Theater Monday night a goodly number of business men and citizens were present and much interest was mani-

fest in the Street Fair and Reunion to be held here Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 7, 8 and 9. Arrangements are being made for a Booster trip to the surrounding towns soon, for the purpose of advertising the picnic and inviting one and all of our neighbors and friends to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Nichols left Saturday for Rigor, Mo., being called there by the death of her mother.

Mrs. Richard Yates and daughter Daisy of Sims, Ill., are visiting at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Walsh and family this week.

E. H. White of Oklahoma City, Okla., visited with friends here yesterday. Mr. White was formerly principal of the public school in this city and has hosts of friends here.

Clearmont News.

Fred Newlon and wife of Maryville are the happy parents of a son born to them last Saturday. This is their first child and they have been married thirteen years, and we expect the next time you see Fred you will hardly know him as they say he has actually grown about four inches taller.

THREE CHAUTAUQUAS BEGIN IN COUNTY NEXT WEEK

Parnell Has Free Program Starting Wednesday—Five Days at Hopkins and Burlington Jet.

Parnell has something new in the way of Chautauquas with a free program which starts next Wednesday, August 31. A number of public spirited citizens subscribed to a fund to bring the Chautauqua and no admission will be charged at the gate.

Burlington Junction and Hopkins also have Chautauqua programs next week. The former will open Sunday for a five day program, which is said to be an exceptionally strong one. Season tickets were placed on sale a few days ago, and it is believed that the guaranteed number of tickets will be sold before tomorrow.

Hopkins will have the same program as that at Burlington Junction. It is furnished by the Redpath-Vawter company. One hundred guarantors at Hopkins agreed to sell \$1,000 worth of tickets. The Chautauqua begins Tuesday.

Curtis Wray of Chicago arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Marve Curnutt, and family. He went to Hopkins this noon to visit over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wray, and Sister, Mrs. Fred Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Barrow and daughters, Olivette, Laveta and Genevieve, returned last night from a month's motor trip to points in Colorado and Wyoming.

Albert Dadds of Skidmore was in Maryville today.

A. M. E. CHURCH.

128 South Vine St.

10 a. m. Sunday school.

11 a. m. preaching. Subject, "The Duty of the Strong Toward the Weak." 12 noon, class meeting. 8 p. m. preaching by Rev. C. C. Baker.

Monday, 8 p. m. the sweet singers of Israel will give a grand sacred concert at Quitman. Tuesday there will be a 6 o'clock dinner given at the church. Wednesday, 8 p. m. prayer meeting, led by Sister Mattie Williams. Thursday, 8 p. m. the Ladies' Aid will hold a call meeting at the residence of Mrs. Kattie Baker, 515 W. 8th St. Mrs. Henry Wilson, president. Friday, 8 p. m. Love-feast.

The public is cordially invited to all of the services and socials.

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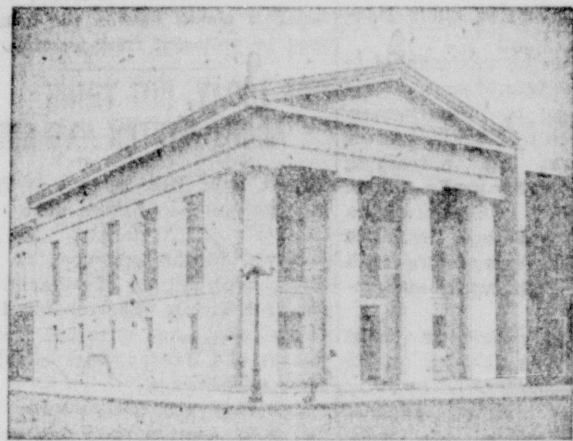
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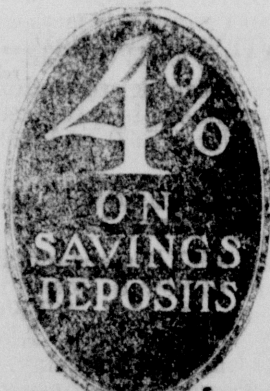
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Social Gossip and Clubs

Griffey Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Orb Griffey living west of Maryville, will entertain with a 1 o'clock dinner Sunday when their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. John Whitehead of Maryville, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Bird of Hopkins.

Florea Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Florea will entertain at dinner tomorrow noon at their home west of Pickering for Mr. and Mrs. Everett Florea and son, Noble, who are returning to their home in Newton, Kansas, next week after an extended visit with relatives.

Picnic Supper.

A number of Maryville young people were in a party who motored to Graham last evening where they enjoyed a picnic supper. Following the picnic the party attended the night show at the Maitland Fair. In the party were Misses Ruth Bookman, Alice McMurry, Mona Everist, Laveta Epperson, Inez Moore and Chilton Robinson, Perry Eads, Ray Hull, Verne Moore and Jack Rowlett.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers, Sr., entertained at dinner Tuesday noon the following guests: Rev. and Mrs. Homer A. Neff and baby son, Bobby Clark of St. Marys, Ohio; Mrs. J. C. Workman and children, Margaret Lucinda and George Delbert, of Pittsburg, Pa.; Mrs. T. M. C. Neff and sons, George and Emerson; Mrs. W. J. Snider, Miss Eleanor Agnes Sawyers, Harold, Henry and John Kirker Sawyers, Jr.

For St. Joseph Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sawyers entertained with a 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their country home in honor of Mr. Sawyers' brother and wife, the Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Sawyers of St. Joseph, who have been visiting in Maryville for the past two weeks. The guests were Rev. and Mrs. Sawyers, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers, Harold, Henry and Eleanor Agnes Sawyers, Mr. and Mrs. Karl E. Zimmerman and children, Henry and Martha Susan, Mrs. W. J. Snider and Mary, Gertrude, Beulah, Clyde and Robert James Sawyers, Jr.

Farewell Courtesy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Florea entertained last night at their home, seven miles east of Pickering, as a farewell courtesy to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Florea and son, Noble, who are leaving next week for their home in Newton, Kan., after spending the summer with relatives near Pickering. The evening was spent in games and music, after which refreshments, in which the club colors of green and white prevailed, were served. There were forty guests including the members of the Mazingo Valley H. K. G. Club, their families and a few additional friends.

Mrs. McCoppin Hostess.

The August meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. McCoppin, with the president, Miss Mary Q. Evans, presiding at the meeting. The devotions were led by Mrs. Charles Stilwell, Mrs. Edgar Houchens, Mrs. Anna Bennett, Mrs. E. B. Thompson and Mrs. Clara Buck read papers on the subject of the afternoon, and Dr. O. L. Carl gave a most interesting talk. Mrs. Anna Bennett was taken in as a new member. Mrs. J. C. Anderson and Dr. Carl were guests, and there were ten members present. The program was followed by a social hour and the serving of refreshments by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. G. H. Wamsley and Mrs. C. P. Anderson.

Davis Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fred Davis will entertain Sunday with a family dinner at their home on East Third street. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. George Heppner and children, Dorothy, Jimmy, George Henry and Donald, and Mr. Heppner's nieces, Marguerite and Anna Gormley of Kansas.

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before Commissioners Edwin J. Bean, Noah W. Simpson, Edward Flad and Hugh McIndoe.

In its order last year, the commission allowed the increased rates asked by the telephone company, calling the old rates inadequate, unjust and unreasonable. The latest order says the company has shown by its verified report, on the basis of one year, that its revenues from operation have been sufficient to pay a not unreasonable or high rate of return on the investment, and that the operating costs of the company have not been materially reduced during the period covered by the 1920 report.

The thirteen months period for which the new order is effective is from August 1, 1921, to September 1, 1922, unless otherwise ordered by the commission, at the end of which temporary period, such increased rates shall cease without further notice, and the rates and changes of the Hanamo Telephone Company shall then be reduced and restored by it to the rate on file and changed by it previous to the effective date of the above mentioned order.

The company is required to keep a full and correct account of revenue and expenses of its exchange, and file a full and complete report thereof with the commission at the expiration of a twelve month period from August 1, 1921.

Telephone rates charged by the Hanamo company are now \$2 a month for residence direct lines and \$1.50 for residence four-party lines. Unless the Public Service Commission issues another order providing otherwise, they will return after a year to \$1.50 for residence direct lines and \$1.25 for residence four-party lines.

EXPECTS MANY TEACHERS AT SHORT COURSE NEXT WEEK

Visitors From Other Counties Will Attend to Learn About Vitalized Agriculture.

The vitalized agriculture short course will be held at the State Teachers College next week, and the indications are that there will be from seventy-five to eighty teachers in attendance. The short course is to be conducted by County Superintendent Bert Cooper, W. H. Burr, Leslie Somerville, George W. Somerville and W. A. Power. Miss Fannie Buchanan of Camden, N. J., of the Victor Talking Machine Company, will have charge of the music during the week at the short course.

Miss Gertrude Fulcher, county superintendent of Platte county, will attend these lectures and demonstrations and will be accompanied by four teachers from that county. Miss Ann Sims, county superintendent of Clinton county, and five teachers from that county, will also be in attendance. There will be three teachers here from Grundy county. The teachers from Nodaway county in attendance will be those who are expecting to teach vitalized agriculture courses the coming year.

The last two days of the week will be given over to the county teachers' meeting. Every teacher in the county is required to attend this meeting. Among some of the speakers on the program for the teachers' meeting are P. G. Holden of Chicago, T. J. Walker of Columbia, President Uel W. Lamkin of the State Teachers College, Miss Fannie Buchanan of Camden, N. J., and Mrs. Campbell of St. Louis. At this meeting reports will be given of the vitalized agriculture demonstration and lectures.

WEBB CITY HIGH SCHOOL WINS PRIZE FOR ANNUAL

C. W. Oldham, Son-in-Law of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Null, is Head of Schools There.

The Webb City High school won first prize for high school annual at the Missouri Centennial State Fair. C. W. Oldham, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Null of Maryville, is superintendent of schools at Webb City. In the communication received by Mr. Oldham, J. Kelly Wright, judge of the educational department pronounced the best annual submitted for exposition during the years he has been judge, which has been since 1912.

The Webb City High School annual was prepared this year with the view of entering it at the state fair. Progress made by Missouri during her first 100 years in the Union are featured throughout the booklet in its writeups and illustrations.

Students to Missouri University—Clifford Hall left this morning for Columbia to resume his studies in the School of Journalism at the University of Missouri. Other Maryville students leaving today and tomorrow to attend the University are Paul Miller, Jesse Boatman, Virgil Rathbun, Roland Currutt, Loren Egley, Donald Williams, Donald Dowell, and Fred Conner of Maitland.

Next Week At the Movies

Empire Theatre

The photoplay attraction Monday and Tuesday will be "The Right to Love," produced by George Fitzmaurice and featuring Mae Murray and David Powell. Ouida Bergere adapted the story from the popular French play. It is a Paramount picture.

Miss Murray has the role of an American girl, who leads a wretched life with her husband, Sir Archibald Falkland, English director of the Ottoman Dept. at Constantinople. In an effort to compromise his wife, so he may marry another woman, Sir Archibald installs a Prince Stanislaus in his home. A Colonel Richard Loring, played by David Powell, arrives in time to rescue her from the Prince though in the resulting mix-up, Loring shoots Falkland dead. He is acquitted in the trial that follows, and he and Lady Falkland seek happiness together.

On Wednesday night Anita Stewart will be shown in "The Yellow Typhon." No advance information is available on this picture, but Anita Stewart has always been a popular star with local theatre-goers.

Thursday night will mark the opening of the fall and winter season of stage plays at this theatre. To insure starting the season in the right manner, particular effort was made to secure an unusually good production for the opening night. This effort resulted in securing "Dardanella," the McGregor Company's brilliant and gorgeous Oriental musical revue. It is said to be one of the most beautiful and costly musical productions ever sent on tour and a New York press agent has described it as, "A Jim-Jam-Jem of a Jazzy Jamboree." "Dardanella" is a popular hit and is packing the theatres everywhere.

At the Electric.

Borrowed finery, which played such an important part in the life of Rowena Jones, the check-room girl heroine of "You Never Can Tell," Debe Daniels' first starring picture, again enters the plot of that star's latest release, "Two Weeks With Pay," which comes Monday and Tuesday.

In this picture Miss Daniels plays a shop girl whose employer equips her with a very gorgeous wardrobe and sends her off to an expensive hotel, hoping that her beauty will attract attention and advertise his costumes.

"Extravagance," starring the blonde screen beauty, May Allison will be shown Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Allison has the role of Nancy Brown, daughter of wealthy man, who marries Dick Vane, a young lawyer. Her society ambitions necessitate a severe dent into the husband's income and in a mad desire to hold his wife's love, Dick forges a check on his father. It is when jail faces him, and his wife is given the chance to save her husband by leaving him forever, that the great understanding leading to the new life comes.

On Friday night Alice Calhoun a comparatively new but very popular star will appear in "Princess Jones." It is the story of a girl of romance and imaginative ideas, who was given the name "Princess" by her mother to offset the familiar name of Jones. She works for her uncle in his general store at Cobweb Corners, where she meets Arthur Forbes, a young man, who is sent to the country by his wealthy uncle in order to arouse his talent as an artist. She is planning a vacation at a fashionable beach resort nearby, where she can live up to her name, having no idea of the cost. So asks Forbes to buy her a gown while he goes back to the city giving him \$17.50 which she had saved. He had fallen in love with her and buys her one for \$200. Taking the gown, unmindful of its cost, she goes to the hotel, creating a sensation because a real Balkin princess is known to have arrived in the country. Newspaper reporters

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interview her. The real princess reads of Princess Jones and goes to the resort to find out about the impostor. They meet and get along beautifully. Along comes Forbes' uncle who has learned of the dress purchase, and has decided that his nephew has fallen into the clutches of a vamp. But he meets Princess Jones, too, and is friendly. Three agents of the Balkan country come to the beach and at a dance one night, Princess Jones is kidnapped instead of the real princess. Forbes sees the seizure of the girl he loves, and follows in another machine. There is a fight and Princess Jones is rescued.

A classic of colloquial American literature has been given life on the screen in "Desperate Youth," which will be the principal attraction Saturday night with Gladys Walton in the starring role.

Return to Kansas

Miss Ella Mcauliffe and John Edward of Huron, Kan., left yesterday for their home after a three days visit with Miss Mcauliffe's sister and Mr. Perdew's aunt, Mrs. William Heckin, living near Ravenwood. They also visited at the homes of Mrs. Amelia Diss and William Doran of Maryville.

Joe Ulmer was in Maryville yesterday.

Was in Maryville Today

R. B. Bridgeman of Oregon was a city visitor in Maryville this morning. Eliza King of Skidmore was a full attorney at the Holt county bar. Mr. Bridgeman is one of the success-

ELMER HAMILTON IS WANTED BY PAGE CO. AUTHORITIES

Sheriff Borland of Clarinda, Ia., was in Maryville this morning to arrest Elmer Hamilton, who is wanted by the Iowa authorities on a charge of grand larceny. Hamilton with his attorney, R. B. Bridgeman of Oregon, arranged with Sheriff Borland to appear in Clarinda Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Breit of Chadron, Neb., who are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wilfley, are spending the week end in Savannah with Mr. Breit's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Breit.

John Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wallace of Clearmont, will leave Monday for Rolla, to resume his studies at the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy.

Mr. and Mrs. Manahan and daughters, Ethel and Gladys, of Wellington, Kan., have been visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Florea, seven miles east of Pickering, and with other relatives.

The DeMolays will play the Hopkins auctioneers at Hopkins tomorrow afternoon. The Auctioneers is a newly organized team and the Junior Masons are going up there to see what kind of a team they have. The usual line-up will play.

C. H. Jackson of Skidmore was a business visitor in Maryville yesterday. Eliza King of Skidmore was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

IRISH LEADERS ON BOTH SIDES CONFER IN SECRET

Parliament Will Determine Lloyd George's Reply to Sinn Fein Refusal of Terms.

Dublin, Aug. 27.—Both the Sinn Fein cabinet and the parliament met in secret sessions today to consider Lloyd George's reply to the republican note rejecting the English peace offer.

Skidmore Bible Class to Banquet
Members of the Men's Bible Class of the First Christian Church will attend a banquet given next Wednesday night, August 31, by the Men's class of the Christian Sunday School at Skidmore. The moving pictures of the Clarinda campaign, which ended with 2,231 men present at Sunday school, will be shown to the Skidmore men.

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Arthur Seaton Sick
Arthur Seaton, an employee of the Maryville Electric Light and Power Company, is sick at his home on West Third street.

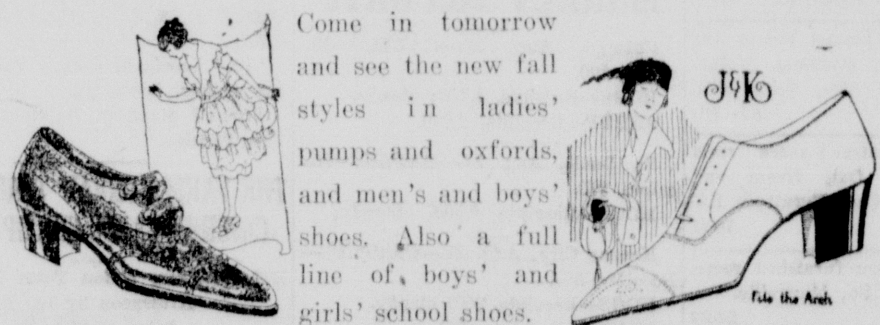
Hollis Hays of Skidmore was a business visitor yesterday.

What is a Dollar Worth?

There is quite a difference of opinions on this question. However, it is an absolute fact that you can buy more merchandise for a dollar if you pay cash than if you defer payment.

According to statistics the borrowed dollar costs \$1.08. Someone must pay the 8 cents, which means that every \$5.00 purchase, bought on time, costs you \$5.40.

Therefore, we have decided to do business on a cash basis, which will enable us to pay cash to the manufacturer, discounting our bills and give our customers the benefit of the saving.



Montgomery Shoe Co
THE FAMILY SHOE STORE

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to quit farming and to leave the county, I will sell at the farm 4½ miles northeast of Pickering and 5 miles south-east of Hopkins on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1921

Beginning at 10 o'clock, the following described property:

40 HEAD OF LIVESTOCK

6 HEAD OF HORSES—1 gray mare 9 years old, weight 1400, a good worker; 1 gray mare coming 10 years old, weight 1300, a good worker; 1 good sound pair of bay mares, coming 6 years old, one with colt by side; 1 yearling filly.

18 HEAD OF HOGS—16 head of shoats and 2 sows, one with pigs by side.

14 HEAD OF CATTLE—6 head of good milk cows with calves by side and one fat two-year-old heifer.

IMPLEMENTS—1 wagon, 1 Jenny Lind cultivator, practically new, 1 harrow, 1 John Deere stirring plow and other articles too numerous to mention.

HAY AND GRAIN—About 150 bu. of old corn, 2 tons of hay, about 10 acres of corn in field and some fall pasture. Also 5 dozen hens and about 6 dozen young chickens.

USUAL TERMS. LUNCH ON GROUNDS.

J. R. BRANIGER, Auct.
JOE JACKSON, Clerk.

DALE GREEN

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING Wants THAT BRING RESULTS

Classified "wants," one cent per word first insertion and one-half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than 25¢.
Classified wants, by the month, per line (six words) per month 70¢.
Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.
These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE.

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Lease, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. J5-tf

FOR SALE—Wood stove and base burner. Hanamo 4706. A3-tf

FOR SALE—Large line of used heaters, ranges and cook stoves. Case Furniture Exchange. A13-tf.

FOR SALE—Stock Hogs, 300 head of Good Spring Shoats for sale; a good bunch of Duroc Jerseys. The Alfalfa Farm. O. E. Bradley, Elmo. 25-tf.

FOR SALE—15 horse gas engine and size 14 silo filler complete. W. D. McDonald. Hanamo or Farmers phone. 25-27*

FOR SALE—8 shoats weighing about 100 lbs. O. F. Shell, 5 miles west of Maryville. 25-27*

FOR SALE—Loose alfalfa hay, third cutting at the J. M. Stephenson farm. Call Mutual 196-23. 26-29

FOR SALE—Some good household furnishings for light housekeeping. Inquire at 708 North Mulberry. 26-29*

FOR SALE—Good fresh Shorthorn cow and calf. Will trade for dry cow or cash. L. B. Peters, west of Wabash freight depot at east end of Normal drive. 27-29

TRUNKS—Bags, suitcases. Why pay two middlemen profits? Buy from factory direct. Send for free catalog. Acme Trunk & Bag Factory, Spring Valley, Ill. A27-tf

THIS IS THE TIME to buy timothy seed, \$3.00 per bu.; alfalfa, \$10 to \$12 per bu. See R. S. Braniger. 27-30

MISCELLANEOUS.

WHAT HAVE YOU? We buy, sell or trade. Dealer in furniture, stoves, rugs and implements, etc. Case Furniture Exchange. Hanamo 520, Farmers 510. J15-tf.

RUGS AND CARPETS cleaned by the Hamilton Beach method. Electric Carpet Washing Co. Han. 611. J19tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, students preferred; also garage. Mrs. Mary Hill. 312 West Fifth St. A1-SL

FOR RENT—Furnished three room modern apartment. Oak floors and built in features. Case Furniture Exchange. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Large furnished room. 322 South Fillmore St., Maryville. 26-29

BASEBALL BAT taken by mistake Tuesday night from college diamond. Call Jack Rowlett. 25-27*

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. 203 West Second. Hanamo 569. 25-27

LOST—A Fountain pen on South Main St. Return to this office. 25-27*

WANTED—Roomers, working or school girls preferred. 221 South Saunders. 25-27.

BE A DETECTIVE—Experience unnecessary; get particulars; exceptional opportunities; travel; salaries; expenses. Hartley Detective Agency, Kansas City, Mo. 26-27*

FOUND—Auto license No. 226-987. Owner call at this office and pay for ad. 26-29

FOUND—Auto crank, thought to be from Buick car. Owner call at this office and pay for ad. 26-29

MAN OR WOMAN WANTED—Salary \$36 full time, 25¢ an hour spare time, selling guaranteed hosiery to wearers. Experience unnecessary. International Hosiery Mills, Norristown, Pa. 27*

WANTED—Lace curtains to launder. Hanamo 526. 206 North Newton street. 27-2

WANTED—A girl or middle aged woman to assist with general housework. A permanent position if satisfactory. Mrs. W. B. Gex, Graham, Mo. Phone thru Graham. A27-tf

LOST—344 spare tire near Maryville. Finder call this office. 27-30

BELIEVE ROYALISTS CAUSED FORMER CHANCELLOR'S DEATH

Erzberger Murder Marks Crisis of Demonstrations for Kaiser's Restoration

Berlin, Aug. 27.—The assassination of Mathias Erzberger, former German chancellor, near Offenburg, Baden marked a crisis of increasing Royalist and Militarist activities which are believed to have been responsible for the Erzberger murder.

The Royalist and Militarist activities here are thought to be more marked this week than at any time since the armistice. Prince Eitel Frederick and General Ludendorff reviewed the German war veterans in great military display here and the ex-kaiser sent messages showing sympathy for the demonstration. It is understood that militarist revivals are planned throughout Germany.

MILLER IS ASKED FOR ADVISE AND SUGGESTIONS

Representative From This County Is Opposed to Special Bonus Session at This Time.

Representative Jesse Miller has received a letter from Governor Hyde requesting his opinion and suggestions with regard to calling an extra session of the legislature for the passage of legislation for the sale of the \$15,000,000 in bonds authorized by the people at the special election August 2 for the payment of soldier bonuses and a law for carrying the amendment into effect.

Dr. Miller is of the opinion that a special session should not be called at this time, on account of it being a bad time to dispose of bonds. Quite a number in the cities are in favor of the extra session so as to assist in taking care of the unemployment problem there.

Hyde has not definitely announced the date of the special session, but it is expected he may convene it on November 11, Armistice Day. Because of the unemployment situation among former service men, Hyde has been urged to call the session immediately.

The maximum bonus which may be paid to any soldier is \$250. Every man who served in the army between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918, is entitled to the bonus which was fixed at \$10 a month. The money goes also to dependents of soldiers who died while in service.

COMMITTEE MEETS TO PLAN PIG CLUB SHOW
There was a meeting this afternoon at the Farm Bureau for the purpose of deciding the date for the big pig club show and sales. The committee that was present was composed of Ernest Wilhoite, Elihu Shell, and R. P. Hosmer.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Aug. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500.
HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; steady.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.

St. Louis, Aug. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 150.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,500. Steady.

Kansas City, Aug. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 800.
HOGS—Receipts, 200; steady.
SHEEP—Receipts, 400.

St. Joseph, Aug. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,500; top, \$9.15; steady.
SHEEP—Receipts, 200.

LOCAL MARKETS
Eggs 24c
Hens 15c
Springs 15c
Roasters, per lb 6c
Butter Fat 28c
Ducks, per lb 12c
Geese, per lb 8c

HAVE your coal weighed by a man hired by the city, and get a chance on the \$100 in gold. No extra charge. Glover & Alexander. A27-tf

Tires
Guaranteed 6,000.
All sizes at greatly reduced prices.

**MARYVILLE
AUTO WRECKING CO.**
Kane Bldg.

FOR QUICK SALE
New 6-room bungalow house at 414 West First St., owned by T. B. Neal estate. This is a fine new modern house, well located and will be sold worth the money to settle up the estate.

See
J. W. HERNDON.

CLEARMONT PLAYS SHRINERS SUNDAY

ST. JOSEPH TEAM WILL MAKE FIRST APPEARANCE HERE.

SEVERAL OTHER GAMES

Nave McCords Will Play Barnard and Wilcox Will Meet Graham.

Baseball fans will not have to look far to find a ball game to attend Sunday. There will be games played in every part of the county.

The St. Joseph Shriners will play the strong Clearmont team at the Maryville fair grounds tomorrow. A fast game is promised the fans, as the Clearmont team has lost only three games this season and the Shriners have an enviable record. The Shriners are expected to bring a number of rooters and possibly a band.

Wilcox will play at Graham. This is the fourth game played between these two towns. Out of the three that have already been played, Wilcox has won two. The game Sunday will be a fight, as Graham is anxious to even up the score in games.

The Nave-McCord team of St. Joseph will play the Barnard team Sunday. The Nave-McCords are rated as being the best amateur team in St. Joseph and are expected to show the fans some classy ball. This game will be played at Larabee's ball park.

A game will be played this afternoon at Clearmont between the Legion Bucks and the Moonshiners. Following is the Clearmont News' announcement of the game: "A Leatherneck and a Judge will be the battery for the Bucks; Bino will be on third and Pedal on short, ably supported by a gob in the field. The Moonshiners are tough and hard to handle. Both teams guarantee to make as many bone heads as the Clearmont first team. Come out and see them play, at the Clearmont Legion Park."

There was a game yesterday at Ravenwood between the merchants and the farmers. The latter won 14 to 4.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week a tournament will be held at Parnell. The teams to play are Sheridan, Ravenwood, Wilcox and Parnell. Two games will be played each afternoon. The teams to play the first day are Sheridan and Parnell and Ravenwood and Wilcox. The two winning teams play the second day and also the two losing teams play. On the third day the two winning teams play for first money. Two games each day.

The prizes will be for first \$200; second prize, \$150; third, \$125; 4th, \$75.00.

"Pie" Lewis of Gentry will umpire the games. Let's go.

Parnell plays at Burlington Junction Sunday.

**THE FARM BUREAU TEAM
CINCHES FARM CHAMPIONSHIP**
Defeats Farm Union Team Yesterday Afternoon by Large Score of 11 to 3.

The Farm Bureau ball team won the Farmers Picnic series yesterday by winning from the Farmers Union team, 11 to 3. The game yesterday went much faster than the one played on Thursday as it only lasted nine innings and was played in one hour and forty-five minutes, while Thursday's contest went to ten innings and lasted two hours and twenty minutes.

The feature of yesterday's game was the support that the Bureau team gave its pitcher. The infield was exceptionally tight and the few errors made were due to the rough condition of the diamond.

Neither team scored until the third, when two hits and a walk resulted in three scores for the Bureau, made by Turner, Booth and Hosher. Again in the sixth, Tobin and Carmichael scored for the Bureau. In the seventh, the Bureau team batted around and scored five runs, Tobin, Brennan, Carmichael, Hosher, and Anderson crossing the plate.

In their half of the seventh the Union team scored two runs, Roberts and Clark making the tallies. In the eighth, both teams scored one run. Booth made the circuit of the bases for the Bureau, and Spencer crossed home plate for the Union.

No runs were made in the ninth. For the Bureau, Huff struck out five men; and for the Union, Canning retired ten batters on strikes. Turner caught Huff, and Morley received Canning's deliveries.

C. Carmichael umpired the game.

Ova Baker, living south of Maryville, who has been quite ill with malarial fever, is reported much improved. Mr. Baker has been sick about a week.

WANT FARM PICNIC AN ANNUAL AFFAIR

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greatest market in Chicago. They expect to control the marketing of at least half the wheat crop to start with and within a few years to prove the dominating factor in the grain market.

Although officers deny that the new organization is designed to upset existing commercial institutions, to create a monopoly or fix prices, it is already apparent that there is conflict pending between it and the established grain exchanges of the country.

Recently the Chicago Board of Trade issued a pamphlet attacking the new undertaking, to which the United Grain Growers, Inc., replied in kind, and it is evident that there is to be a continual clash between the two with the great possibility that one of the two will be wrecked and sent to the junk heap.

The farmers say that, while memberships on the boards of trade are open to anyone, co-operatives are discriminated against.

Judge Donnell denied that its power will be used to exploit the consumer. They say that under efficient marketing and distribution of farm crops the city man will pay less for his food, while the farmer receives more for his labor, and they point out that at present the farmer does not receive more than 2 cents out of the 8 or 10 cents which a loaf of bread costs, or more than 3 cents out of about 14 cents for which a quart of milk sells. Public opinion, if nothing else, would prevent their exercising monopoly power to the detriment of the public, they say.

To Use 5 Methods.
Under the contract into which farmer members will enter with the United States Grain Growers, Inc., each member will have a choice between five methods of disposing of his grain, as follows:

First: He may sell outright to his local co-operative elevator at the prevailing market price, just as under the present system, excepting that any savings effected by the new marketing method will be returned to him.

Second: Either singly or jointly with others he may consign his grain to a central market for sale by the national organization, by which it may be disposed of immediately or put in storage, at the discretion of the grower.

Third: He may pool his grain in his local elevator along with other growers of his community, its disposal to be controlled by a local pooling committee.

Fourth: He may commit his grain directly to the pooling department of the United States Grain Growers, Inc., to be pooled and sold with the grain so committed by other growers and elevator companies of the country.

Fifth: He may send his grain to the United States Grain Growers, Inc., under the "one-third pooling plan," by which two-thirds of the total shipment will be marketed under any of the other plans provided and one-third held in a national pool, to be disposed of at the discretion of the national pooling committee.

In any of these five ways the farmers hope to stabilize prices through an orderly and regulated flow of grain to market, to establish a market based on economic conditions rather than on the ups and downs of speculative gambling, to follow the crops clear through to market and keep for themselves the profits that they have hitherto gone into the hands of speculators, to control their own storage, credit and exporting facilities, which will add greatly to their profits, and finally to furnish unbiased information on crop conditions throughout the world.

News From St. Francis Hospital.

Francis Farrell of Burlington Junction was admitted to the hospital yesterday for treatment for an infected arm and a stiff joint.

Mainerd Verr, living near Maryville entered the hospital last night to receive treatment for an infected hand and arm.

Mrs. G. Farrens, who has just returned from a visit in Iowa, is a new typhoid fever patient at the hospital. Viola Brandt of Clearmont underwent a tonsil and adenoid operation this morning.

John Barrett of Skidmore entered the hospital this morning for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, who have been patients at the hospital for a few days, are improving.

Mrs. Fred Newlon is doing nicely and will be able to return to her home in this city in a few days.

**HURT BY HORSE AT THE
MAITLAND FAIR YESTERDAY.**

Philip Klaber, living east of Graham, suffered several broken ribs and numerous bruises while attending the Maitland fair yesterday. He was standing on the race track when the wild west horses were loosed. One of the horses charged Klaber and after knocking him down, trampled him severely.

Go To Church Tomorrow

The announcements of various churches printed herewith are invitations to you to attend their services.

First Baptist Church

Market and Jenkins streets, Rev. J. A. Cooper, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. This will be monthly rally day and each department will contribute to the closing exercises.

No morning preaching service.

B. Y. P. U. at 7 o'clock.

At 8 o'clock the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. M. J. Kelley of the (colored) Baptist church.

First Presbyterian Church.

Main and Jenkins. Rev. S. P. Allison, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45 o'clock.

Morning service at 11 o'clock. Dr. O. L. Curl, pastor of the First Methodist church, will preach both morning and evening. The subject of the morning sermon will be, "Seeing the Reason for Things." This will be the fourth of the series of sermons on the Gospel of John, which Dr. Curl started before going to Chicago in June. Anthem, "Hark, Hark, My Soul," (Edwards).

Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sermon subject, "Deep Sea Foods." Vocal solo, "Planes of Peace," (Barnard), Arch Carter.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church.

Methodist Episcopal, South, Second and Buchanan streets. Rev. Frank J. Mapel, pastor.

Service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Closing services of the conference year will be held morning and evening.

Mrs. W. E. Courtney and daughters, Ellen Elizabeth and Mary Katherine, of Kansas City, will give a program of readings at the Sunday School hour, beginning at 9:30 o'clock.

The pastor's theme at 11 o'clock will be "A Hebrew Epitaph; and Its Meaning for Us." The pastor will preach at

First Methodist Church

Main and First streets. Rev. O. L. Curl, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45 o'clock. Opening exercises in charge of the Men's Bible class.

Preaching services will be held at the First Presbyterian church conducted by Dr. O. L. Curl both morning and evening.

First Christian Church.

Third and Buchanan. Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:30 o'clock.

Morning service at 10:45 o'clock with a brief sermon by the pastor. Special music. A large delegation from the church will go to Clearmont in the afternoon to attend the revival being conducted by the Rev. Snodgrass. There will be several short addresses by laymen of the local church and other churches in the county. Sunday will be the closing day of the revival.

There will be no evening service.

First Church of Christ, Scientist

Regular services will be held tomorrow in the church building on south Main street, Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., services at 11 o'clock, subject of lesson sermon, "Christ Jesus."

Midweek prayer service every Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Visitors invited to all services.

The reading room will be open every afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock in the church building.

Catholic Churches

St. Patrick's, Buchanan and First Streets. Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor. Low mass at 8 a. m.

High mass with sermon at 10 a. m.

Benediction at 7:30 p. m.

St. Mary's South Davis Street. The Rev. Fr. Pius, pastor Low mass at 7 o'clock a. m. with sermon. High mass with sermon and benediction at 9 a. m.

STEEL WORKERS ARE DENIED \$1,500,000 IN BACK PAY

Washington, Aug. 27.—Claims of former employees of the Bethlehem Steel company for more than a million and a half dollars in back pay were rejected under a decision just reached by Acting Secretary of War Wainwright. The case, which has been pending for nearly three years, involves 38,000 men. The Bethlehem company employees' claims grew out of the war labor board decision awarding wage increases to machinists and electricians when such increases appeared necessary to keep the shops working on important war orders.

HAWKERS SNAP IN ATTEMPT TO RAISE GREAT DIRIGIBLE

Hull, Aug. 27.—Efforts to raise the wrecked ZR-2 from the Humber river were continued by the British naval men today. The fore part of the craft was located, but the hawkers snapped twice while the 100-ton crane was trying to raise the wreckage.

Arrested in \$500,000.000 Swindle.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Charles French, purported master mind of the alleged band of 50 million dollars swindlers was arraigned with his associates today. With the exception of A. L. Strelzin of Milwaukee, they entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of using the mails to defraud. Strelzin waived extradition and was held under \$10,000 bond for his appearance in Milwaukee where he will be arraigned later.

County Agent Leader Here.

W. H. Baker, assistant county agent leader of Missouri, was in Maryville today giving "lectures" to R. A. Kinnaird, county farm agent. When asked the purpose of the visit, Mr. Kinnaird said, "He was just making a fatherly visit in his official capacity."

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